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For : METHOD OF PRODUCING ALUMINUM OXIDES AND PRODUCTS OBTAINED ON
THE BASIS THEREOFPRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND COVER LETTER
SUBMITTING AMENDED PAGES OF APPLICATIONCommissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

Enclosed please find substitute sheets of the above-identified application upon which the International Preliminary Examination Report - PCT/IPER/409 was established, a copy of which was submitted when entering the national stage on November 13, 2001. In particular, Applicants submit herewith replacement sheets of description 9 and 9a, and replacement sheets of claims 1-23 (on pages 26-30) which are an English translation of German replacement pages of description 11 and 11a and German claims 1-23 (on pages 1-5) upon which the International Preliminary Examination Report is based.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that replacement sheets 9 and 9a be substituted for page 9, and that claims 1-23 be substituted for claims 1-24 of the English translation of the International Application, which is being on even date herewith.

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